

## AUSTRIA HINTS U. S. MAY NEED MUNITIONS

### Again Protests Ship- ments to Entente Allies.

New York, Nov. 2.—Austria's answer to the United States note which refused to accede to the Vienna demands to reduce exportations of munitions to the entente allies, has been made public here by the Austrian embassy. The note makes absolutely no reference to the activities of Dr. Theodor Dumba, as Austrian Ambassador, to tie up the manufacture of munitions in American plants. It renews the protest against shipments of munitions, however, declaring that the American note is based upon an erroneous interpretation of The Hague convention, and adding that this is proved by the extension of munition making plants in the United States to such an extent as to result in the "starvation of American economic life."

It declares also that the United States is able, if it wishes to maintain peace neutrality, to force Great Britain to lift the embargo on non-contraband. Concluding it hints that the United States is exporting munitions in such quantities that it may find itself in need of these same munitions.

**Boy Dies Flipping Train.**  
South Bend, Ind., Nov. 3.—Jumping from a freight train was fatal to Clyde Schaefer, seventeen years old, a member of the Walkerton High school football team, the act resulting in the rupture of a blood vessel.

### TALK WITH FLEET COMING.

**Captain Bullard Says Phoning to Warships Only Awaits Apparatus.**  
Captain W. H. Bullard, superintendent of the naval wireless system, says that telephonic communication between the navy department and war vessels is now only a question of installing the necessary apparatus. With their present equipment the ships can receive spoken messages from the Arlington station, but are not able to reply orally.

"We are able to communicate with battleships now by means of wireless telegraphy," said Captain Bullard, "but wireless telephony holds many additional advantages. The person calling knows exactly to whom he is talking, direct contact is established, and a reply comes back immediately."

### FIXED WAGE FOR SERVANTS.

**Housewives Propose Plan For Standardizing Pay.**  
Work and wages for Montclair (N. J.) household servants are to be standardized. It is proposed by the Housewives' league to have a central testing station which will be conducted in cooperation with the board of education. Applicants for positions will be required to present themselves at this central station and undergo tests in cooking, serving and other household responsibilities. To those who pass the tests certificates will be awarded entitling them to employment at the rate of \$25 a month where one servant is employed. It is asserted that efficient help is available in Montclair, but because a system has not been maintained many residents have gone out of town for servants.

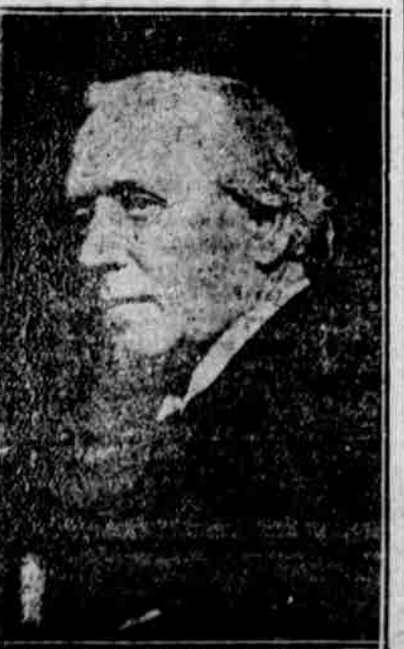
### NAVY GETS FOUR PLANES.

**First Eligible to Be Delivered at Pensacola Soon.**  
Four new hydroaeroplanes have been ordered at the navy aeronautic station at Pensacola, Fla., and the first navy hydroplane will be delivered at the station within the next three weeks. Reports from the station to the navy department said extensive bomb dropping experiments had been made recently during the training work and that a launching device on the cruiser USS Carolina had been successfully tested.

**Grounds For Divorce.**  
Waiting baby by coming home late at night grounds for divorce. White Plains (N. Y.) woman contends.

### PREMIER ASQUITH

British Leader Bares Inner Secrets of Great War.



## WOMAN COURT HELD DEAD IS STILL ALIVE

### She and Son Appear to Have Record Changed.

Kalamazoo, Mich., Nov. 3.—Mrs. Lillie M. Devine is not dead though the records of the probate court show that she is.

Seven years ago Mrs. Devine, the divorced wife of a Schoolcraft, Mich., pastor, suddenly disappeared after the decree had been granted, and a year ago an administrator was appointed to settle up the estate. Clyde E. Devine of Chicago, a son, was selected. Mother and son became united again as a result of Mrs. Devine's looking through the Chicago city directory and finding his name.

The have appeared in probate court and asked to have the order which made the mother "dead" annulled.

### Can Work Jail Prisoners on Roads.

Lansing, Mich., Nov. 3.—Even though counties are not operating under the county road system, prisoners in county jails may be used for work on county roads, if such action is authorized by the board of supervisors, says Attorney General Fellows, who holds that an act of the 1915 legislature makes such action possible.

### Postpone Pere Marquette Sale.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 3.—At the request of counsel for both the underlying bondholders and the consolidated mortgage holders, United States District Judge A. J. Tuttle postponed until Dec. 6 the hearing on the fixing of a date for the sale of the Pere Marquette railroad, now in the hands of receivers.

### Judd's Corners.

M P Ransom is reshingling his house—Mrs C Payne who has been ill, is improved—Ma and Mrs George Dillon visited relatives in New Lothrop, Sunday—Mr and Mrs Carl Hall of Burt, visited at the home of John Fair, Tuesday—Mr and Mrs G R Perry of Flint, spent Sunday at the home of Wesley Lawson—Mr and Mrs Ernest Dick of Lennon, spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs Wm Moore—Mrs Wesley Lawson and mother Mrs Isaac Wood, returned home Friday from a visit with relatives at Flora, Ind.—The Ladies Aid Society of the M E church held its monthly meeting Wednesday at the home of Mrs Mary Reed. Dinner was served—Mr and Mrs Robert Taylor and son Don, Mr and Mrs Alfred Londrigan and Robert Londrigan were visitors at the home of Mr and Mrs James McCartney and family Sunday evening—Wesley Lawson, in company with George of New Haven, Butcher and Arthur Shock of Venice, and several sportsmen from Owosso, will leave Monday for Schoolcraft county where they will remain during the deer season—Sunday was observed as Rally Day at the M E church. An interesting program of recitations, dialogues and music was given and the exercises closed with an address by C W Shipman—The box social for the benefit of the base ball team at the home of Mr and Mrs Henry Miller Friday evening, proved a very enjoyable affair. The boxes were in great demand, some of them selling as high as \$1.05. About \$12 was netted from the proceeds.

### Henderson.

Rev G Gordon and wife of Burton, Mrs Fred Smith, Mrs E L Bunting, and Mrs Walter Cooper of Owosso, were present at a dinner that was served by the ladies of the Methodist church Friday at the home of Mr and Mrs Andrew Filling. After dinner the ladies gave their money and also their experience in earning it which was very interesting as well as entertaining. The motion was carried that the amount should be given toward a musical instrument for

the church. Election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. Cora Morris, re-elected; treasurer, Mrs. Emma Amos, re-elected; recording secretary, Mrs. Julia Joscelyn. The latter succeeds Mrs. Sadie Gordon who has been the secretary for three years but expects to go away for an indefinite time. The largest load of bees that has been drawn in here this season was drawn by Lee Woodard for the Saginaw Beet Co. 1910 pounds was the net weight—About sixty of the neighbors and friends of Mr and Mrs John Hillis living north west of the village, gathered at their home and gave them a

surprise. Refreshments were served and a pleasant evening spent. Mr and Mrs Hillis expect to move to town soon—Miss Martha Caldwell of Onaway, was the guest of Mrs E H Scott and family the past few days. Miss Caldwell is school commissioner of Presque Isle county—Miss Sadie Gordon went to Evanston, Ill., Monday morning. She expects to be gone three months—The men are busy shingling the Methodist sheds. Saturday the B. Y. Scouts removed the old shingles.



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